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JOINT EMBASSY/ USAID MESSAGE

FROM AMBASSADOR MOYNIHAN

E. O. 11652: ADS, DECLASSIFY APRIL 18, 1976

TAGS: EFIN, IN

SUBJ: USG AGENCY USE OF INDIAN RUPEES

REF: A) STATE 61652 (B) STATE 65542

1. SUMMARY: THE FIGURES CONTAINED IN REF (A) DO NOT RECONCILE WITH THOSE AVAILABLE IN NEW DELHI. ALSO, WE ARE UNABLE, AS REQUESTED BY REF (A), TO BREAK OUT IN DETAIL US DISBURSING OFFICER (USDO) RECORDED INDIVIDUAL AGENCY RUPEEEXPENDITURES BY PURPOSE. THEREFORE, THIS MESSAGE CONTAINS: (A) AN ANNUAL BREAKOUT OF TOTAL RUPEE EXPENDITURES BY EACH AGENCY FOR FY' S 71 AND 72; (B) AN EXPLANATION OFHTHE MAJOR ANNUAL DIFFERENCES IN THE EXPENDITURES FOR THOSE AGENCIES WITH LARGE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN FY' S 71 AND 72 (AID, COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION, STATE, USIS, AND PEACE CORPS) AND FY' S 68 AND 69; AND (C) A STATUS REPORT ON GOI RESTRAINTS ON THE USE OF US- OWNED EXCESS RUPEES FOR US AGENCY PROGRAMS. END SUMMARY.

2. TOTAL INDIVIDUAL AGENCY RUPEE DISBURSEMENTS
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TO THE CLOSEST THOUSANDN FOR FYJS 71 AND 72 ARE CONTAINED
IN TABLE I BELOW. DECREASES BETWEEN FY'S 71 AND 72 ARE
IN PARENTHESES IN THE " DIFFERENCE" COLUMN.

TABLE I (\$ 000)

AGRICULTURE: F A.1971 1972 DIFFERENCE

AGRICULTURE RESEARCH SERVICE 1465 1710 JS 245

COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION 1013 5001 3988

FOREIGN AGRICULTURE SERVICE 309 353 44

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT SERVICE 1 1 0

EXPORT MARKETING SERVICE 0 5 5

ECONOMIC RESEARCH SERVICE 0 2 2

CONTROLLER 0 1 1

AGRICULTURAL STABILIZATION AND
CONSERVATION 3 0 (3)

SUBTOTAL 2791 7073 4282

DEFENSE:

AIR FORCE 264 344 80

ARMY 99 120 21

ARMY FOREIGN ASSISTANCE
STUDEXZ TRAINING 10 8 (2)

NAVY 46 JBWW 76

DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY 126 96 (30)

AIR FORCE - EUROPEAN OFFICE OF
AEROSPACE RESEARCH 6 24 18
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OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF DEFENSE,
OFFICE OF RESEARCH & DEV. 3 0 (3)

AIR FORCE- OFFICE OF SCIENTIFIC
RESEARCH 0 89 89

OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF DEFENSE,
OFFICE OF NAVAL RESEARCH 9 147 138

SUBTOTAL 563 950 387

ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION 3 7 4

COMMERCE 165 332 167

GENERAL ACCOUNTING AGENCY 121 125 4

HEALTH, EDUCATION & WELFARE 3564 3472 (92)

INTERIOR 13 0 (13)

LABOR 6 38 32

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS 914 1011 97

NATIONAL AERONAUTICAL & SPACE
ADMINISTRATION 8 0 (8)

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION 120 114 (6)

PEACE CORPS 2304 1730 (574)

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	1971	1972	DIFFERENCE
SMITHSONIAN	548	412	(136)
STATE	5801	6762	961
TREASURY	4	4	0
USIA	6223	5600	(623)
AID	10 71	19062	8391
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY	0	24	24

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SERVICE	HLS	1
0	(1)	

OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESAENT CORPORATION	0	3	3
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SUBTOTAL	30466	38696	8230
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GRAND TOTAL	33820	461#	12899
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3. THE MAJOR FACTORS WHICH HAVE SIGNIFICANTLY INFLUENCED AGENCY RUPEE EXPENDITURES BETWEEN FY' S 71 AND 72 FOLLOW.

(A) AID: THE AID INCREASE OF \$8.4 MILLIONS IS ATTRIBUTABLE TO FREIGHT COSTS OF OE BENGALI RELIEF PROGRAM

(\$7.1 MILLION) AND DISBURSEMENTS UNDER PL 480 TITLE II
SECTION 204
049'3:528(\$1.3 MILLION).

(B) COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION: THE CCC INCREASE
OF \$3.988 MILLION IS ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE COST OF COMMODITIES
FOR THE BENGALI RELIEF PROGRAM IN INDIA.

(C) STATE: THE STATE INCREASE OF \$952 THOUSAND IS
LARGELY ATTRIBUTABLE TO SALARIES AND EXPENSES (\$331) AND
CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNDP (\$569).

(D) USIS: THE DECLINE IN USIS EXPENDITURES OF \$623
THOUSAND IS LARGELY DUE TO A DELAY IN THE PAYMENT OF " SHARED
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES" TO THE EMBASSY AND A CHANGE IN
THE ACCOUNTING FOR THE USIS BOOK PROGRAM. THESE ARE
NON- RECURRING REDUCTIONS, WHICH ARE EXPECTED TO RESULT IN
INCREASED EXPENDITURES IN FY 1973.

(E) PEACE CORPS: THE DECLINE IN PEACE CORPS EXPENDITURES
REPRESENTS THE CONTINUING DECLINE IN PROGRAM AAUVOLUNTEERS
COMPLETE THEIR TOURS AND ARE NOT REPLACED.

4. SUBSTANTIALLY ALL (80 PERCENT) OF THE INCREASE IN DISBURSEMENTS
BETWEEN FY 68 AND FY 69 IS ATTRIBUTABLE TO AN AGREEMENT
REACHED WITH THE GOI UNDER WHICH FREIGHT COSTS OF PL 480
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TITLE II SHIPMENTS COULD BE PAID IN RUPEES.

5. THE GOI CONTINUES TO CONSTRAIN, SIGNIFICANTLY, THE USE
OF QF- OWNED EXCESS RUPEES. THE MAJOR GOI CONSTRAINTS

ARE: (A) CONTINUING REFUSAL TO CONSENT TO US GRANTS OR
ENDOWMENTS OF RUPEES TO CHARITABLE, NON- PROFIT AND
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS; (B) REFUSAL TO CONSENT TO ADDITIONAL
PL 480 SECTION 204 GRANTS; (B) OBJECTIONS TO THE USE OF
RUPEES TO FINANCE TRANS- SHIPMENT OF AID AND CCC COMMODITIES
TO NEPAL; (D) THE TERMINATION OF THE AID TRUST FUND AND THE
VARIOUS ACTIVITIES (INCLUDING TRAINING AND TRANSPORTATION)
IT FINANCED; (E) SEVERE RESTRAINTS ON FULBRIGHT, INTER VISITOR
AND OTHER EXCHANGE PROGRAMS; (F) FAILURE TO MAKE SCHEDULELY
CONVERSIONS OF RUPEES TO DOLLARS OR THIRD- COUNTRY CURRENCIES
AS PROVIDED FOR UNDER SECTIONS 104(B) AND (J) OF THE PL 480
ACT; AND (G) RELUCTANCE TO ENTER INTO NEW OR EXPANDED
COLLABORATIVE
SCIENTIFIC AND AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH PROJECTS. IT APPEARS
THAT THE GOI IS FIRMLY COMMITTED TO A POLICY OF MINIMIZING
ALL EXPENDITURES OF US- OWNED RUPEES PENDING ZITOTAL

RESOLUTION OF THE " RUPEE PROBLEM." MOYNIHAN.
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